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Marcella Hickey, Esq., Hearing Officer
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
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Re: *D.T.E. 01-20*

Dear Ms. Hickey:

Enclosed is a copy of the Proprietary Version of WorldCom, Inc.'s Initial Brief in the above-captioned matter. Please be advised that it contains information deemed proprietary by Verizon-Massachusetts and should not be placed on the public record.

Please call me if you have any questions. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Christopher J. McDonald

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